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In re Application of: Trevor John BURKE ) **PATENT**  
Serial No.: 09/462,550 )  
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For: PROGRAMME GENERATION )  
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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of this application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 4, 5, 8, 9, 11, r2, 14, 15, 16, 19 and 20 as follows:

4. (Amended) A method according to [any preceding] claim 1, wherein programme element selection is controlled automatically by applying predetermined selection criteria.

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